



What's so special about your place? National Geographic wants to know at our Northeast Louisiana stakeholder meetings!

What's so special about your place? National Geographic, in partnership with the Delta Regional Authority, Mississippi River Connections Collaborative, and other partners are developing an interactive website of the Mississippi River to help tell the story of the region to visitors.

We are looking for local residents involved or interested in tourism in the region to tell the story of the places they would recommend people to visit and nominate these on the website.

This free program is asking local people along the length of the River to identify and map what's unique about their communities. All sites, attractions or businesses that fit the Geotourism Criteria (see website) and are within a county that borders the Mississippi River are eligible to be nominated. People can nominate sites at <http://mississippiriver.natgeotourism.com>.

National Geographic will be visiting Northeast Louisiana August 2 and 3 to provide information about the program and how to nominate. Locations below:

Tuesday, August 2	Wednesday, August 3
9:00 am: New Roads Point Coupee Public Library 201 Claiborne Street, New Roads, LA	9:00 am: Winnsboro Old Post Office Museum 513 Prairie Street, Winnsboro, LA
12:30 pm: Marksville LSU/SU/ACT Center 8592 Hwy 1, Ste. 3, Mansura, LA	2:00 pm: Poverty Point Poverty Point World Heritage Site 6859 Hwy 577, Pioneer, LA
3:30 pm: Vidalia Comfort Suites Meeting Room 100 Front Street, Vidalia, LA	

If you are able to attend, please come and learn about the program and how to nominate your favorite sites, attractions, and businesses in Northeast Louisiana. RSVP to Spencer Lucker at slucker@dra.gov or 202-744-3558.



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